

ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION MADE BY STATE OR LOCAL STAFF OF AN AGENCY  
OTHER THAN DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

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The eligibility policy is developed by the Department of Medical Assistance and issued to the Department of Human Resources (DHR). Policy decisions are made based on Federal and State laws and Federal regulations. Eligibility determination is made through contract with the DHR. Local County Departments of Family and Children Services determine medical assistance eligibility for all non-SSI payment recipients. Determination for medical assistance eligibility is completed by eligibility caseworker staff in the local County Departments of Family and Children Services. These individuals involved in eligibility determinations also notify clients of initial eligibility and termination of medical assistance.

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